

FORM PTO-1390 (REV 11-2000)	U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE	ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER <b>3557-12</b>
TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371		U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 C.F.R. 1.5) <b>10/088025</b> Unknown
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. <b>PCT/EP00/07625</b>	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE <b>5 August 2000</b>	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED <b>15 September 1999</b>
TITLE OF INVENTION <b>PLANTS WITH A MODIFIED AMINO ACID CONTENT AND THEIR GENERATION</b>		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US <b>REINDL et al</b>		
<p>Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a <b>FIRST</b> submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> This is a <b>SECOND</b> or <b>SUBSEQUENT</b> submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The U.S. has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31).</li> <li>A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> has been communicated by the International Bureau.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).</li> </ol> </li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</li> </ol> </li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> have been communicated by the International Bureau.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has <b>NOT</b> expired.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made.</li> </ol> </li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> A English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).</li> </ol> <p><b>Items 11 To 20 below concern document(s) or information included:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. 1.97 and 1.98.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 3.28 and 3.31 is included.</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A FIRST preliminary amendment.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821-1.825.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other items or information. PTO-1449 and copy of International Search Report</li> </ol>		

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21. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The following fees are submitted: <b>BASIC NATIONAL FEE (37 C.F.R. 1.492(a)(1)-(5)):</b> -- Neither international preliminary examination fee (37 C.F.R. 1.482) nor international search fee (37 C.F.R. 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO and International Search Report not prepared by the EPO or JPO .....\$1040.00 -- International preliminary examination fee (37 C.F.R. 1.482) not paid to USPTO but International Search Report prepared by the EPO or JPO .....\$890.00 -- International preliminary examination fee (37 C.F.R. 1.482) not paid to USPTO but international search fee (37 C.F.R. 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO .....\$740.00 -- International preliminary examination fee (37 C.F.R. 1.482) paid to USPTO but all claims did not satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4) .....\$710.00 -- International preliminary examination fee (37 C.F.R. 1.482) paid to USPTO and all claims satisfied provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4) .....\$100.00  <b>ENTER APPROPRIATE BASIC FEE AMOUNT =</b> Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input type="checkbox"/> 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 C.F.R. 1.492(e)). <table border="1" style="width:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"><thead><tr><th style="width:20%;">CLAIMS</th><th style="width:20%;">NUMBER FILED</th><th style="width:20%;">NUMBER EXTRA</th><th style="width:20%;">RATE</th><th style="width:20%;"></th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>Total Claims</td><td>19</td><td>-20 = 0</td><td>X \$18.00</td><td>\$ 0.00</td></tr><tr><td>Independent Claims</td><td>1</td><td>-3 = 0</td><td>X \$84.00</td><td>\$ 0.00</td></tr><tr><td colspan="4">MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS(S) (if applicable)</td><td>\$280.00</td></tr><tr><td colspan="4"><b>TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =</b></td><td><b>\$ 1170.00</b></td></tr></tbody></table> <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by 1/2. <b>SUBTOTAL =</b> \$ 1170.00 Processing fee of \$130.00, for furnishing the English Translation later than <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input type="checkbox"/> 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 C.F.R. 1.492(f)). <b>TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =</b> \$ 1170.00 Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 C.F.R. 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 C.F.R. 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property + \$ 0.00 Fee for Petition to Revive Unintentionally Abandoned Application (\$1280.00 - Small Entity = \$640.00) \$ 0.00 <b>TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =</b> \$ 1170.00 <table border="1" style="width:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"><tr><td style="width:70%;">Amount to be:</td><td style="width:10%;"></td><td style="width:20%;"></td></tr><tr><td>refunded</td><td>\$</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>Charged</td><td>\$</td><td></td></tr></table>				CLAIMS	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE		Total Claims	19	-20 = 0	X \$18.00	\$ 0.00	Independent Claims	1	-3 = 0	X \$84.00	\$ 0.00	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS(S) (if applicable)				\$280.00	<b>TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =</b>				<b>\$ 1170.00</b>	Amount to be:			refunded	\$		Charged	\$		<b>CALCULATIONS</b> PTO USE ONLY	
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a. ☒ A check in the amount of \$1170.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed.

b. ☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 14-1140 in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the above fees. A duplicate copy of this form is enclosed.

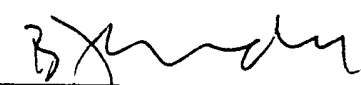
c. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-1140. A duplicate copy of this form is enclosed.

d. ☒ The entire content of the foreign application(s), referred to in this application is/are hereby incorporated by reference in this application.

**NOTE:** Where an appropriate time limit under 37 C.F.R. 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 C.F.R. 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.

**SEND ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO:**

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